

FBPFST4005 Document food processes and supporting procedures

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Modification History

Release	Comments	
	This version released with the FBP Food, Beverage and Pharmaceutical Training Package Version 2.0.	

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to document the operational steps in producing a processed food product and developing the procedures that support the operation.

The unit applies to individuals who are required to document processes and procedures for food processing, and who have responsibility for monitoring and maintaining product safety and quality and the production environment.

No occupational licensing or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication. However, legislative and regulatory requirements for food processing exist, so local requirements must be checked. All work must comply with Australian food safety standards and relevant codes of practice.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Food science and technology (FST)

Elements and Performance Criteria

Elements	Performance Criteria	
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.	
1. Identify the stages and operations required in the processing of a food product	1.1 Identify inputs, production processes and outputs 1.2 Analyse each step in processing operation and identify opportunities to make adjustments 1.3 Identify hazards to food safety and product quality at each stage of	

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	production		
2. Identify the facilities, equipment, workflow and process controls for a processed food product	2.1 Analyse functions of each production stage		
	2.2 Identify equipment used to perform each operation stage		
	2.3 Identify the facilities, workflow and layout of the work area and links with other parts of the organisation		
	2.4 Document process controls for a processed food product		
	2.5 Review the work team structure and the roles and responsibilities of team personnel for a given food product		
	2.6 Investigate information management processes for a food processing operation		
3. Produce documentation for nominated unit operations	3.1 Draft a flow diagram using correct nomenclature and symbols to show processes, inputs and outputs		
	3.2 Highlight suggestions for improvements to product quality and operational efficiency		
	3.3 Quantify energy and resource usage, and environmental impacts, of production processes		
	3.4 Review procedures for testing for yields and variances at each stage		
	3.5 Identify areas for process improvement for further analysis		

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description	
Reading	 Interpret manuals, diagrams, drawings and other technical information relevant to producing a processed food product Interpret codes of practice, regulations, and standards for food safety 	
Writing	Clearly and accurately document operational steps and process in producing a processed food product	

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Skill	Description	
Numeracy	Source, collect and organise a range of data required during the steps for producing a processed food product	
Get the work done	Represent food processing operations in a diagrammatic form	

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
FBPFST4005 Document food processes and supporting procedures	FDFFST4005A Document processes and procedures for a food product	Updated to meet Standards for Training Packages Minor changes to Performance Criteria to clarify intent Updated title	Equivalent unit

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet: https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=78b15323-cd38-483e-aad7-1159b570a5c4

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